

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)
BA DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2025
(Second Semester)
Branch - SOCIOLOGY
INDIAN SOCIAL STRUCTURE - II

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION-A (10 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(10 × 1 = 10)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	1	How do you refer the cultural variations among people? a) Racial diversity b) Regional diversity c) Cultural diversity d) Religious diversity	K1	CO1
	2	What term is used to describe the process through a set of traditional or linguistic characteristics that distinguishes a group from others? a) Discrimination b) Ethnicity c) Caste d) Linguistic	K2	CO1
2	3	What is meaning of "Jajamani System" in the context of Indian society? a) Reciprocal social and economic arrangements b) Promotes Hinduism c) Religious minority d) Religious revivalism	K1	CO1
	4	Tell the critical role of Panchayat Raj system as per Sociological perspective a) Monitoring Urban governance b) Ensuring participatory democracy c) National policy-making d) Judiciary decisions	K2	CO3
3	5	Which of the following is a significant contribution of rural industries to rural development? a) Increasing dependence in external markets b) Promoting local employment and self-sufficiency c) encouraging industrial monopolies in cities d) Limiting economic opportunities in village	K1	CO1
	6	Which Sociological theory explains farmer distress and suicides due to disconnection from traditional communities and support system? a) Conflict theory b) Functionalism c) Anomie theory d) Symbolic interactionism	K2	CO1
4	7	Label the Social mobility which has been enhanced through digital education a) Eliminating all social barriers b) Providing flexible learning options for marginalized groups c) Reinforcing existing class structures d) Reducing access to global education	K1	CO1
	8	The Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalyaya (KGBV) Scheme spell the specific aim of a) Provide employment opportunities for rural health b) Promote vocational training for rural men c) Provide education to girls from marginalized communities in rural areas d) Establish universities in urban areas	K2	CO3
5	9	What is the meaning of the term 'Ryot' in the Ryotwari system? a) Landlords b) Urban workers c) Cultivators or farmers d) Industrialists	K1	CO1
	10	How for the National Mission for Sustainable Agriculture (NMSA) is addressing rural poverty? a) Focusing on exports b) Providing long term solutions c) Increasing mono culture d) Ignoring small farmers	K2	CO1

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SECTION - B (35 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

(5 × 7 = 35)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	11.a.	Examine the impact of racial discrimination on social inequality within society.	K4	CO2
	(OR)			
	11.b.	Analyze how economic policies and political decisions influence social stratification and class dynamics in India.	K4	
2	12.a.	Explain the characteristics of Jajmani system.	K2	CO3
	(OR)			
	12.b.	Demonstrate the impact of recent amendments and provisions of Indian constitutions rural politics in India.	K2	
3	13.a.	Identify the role of rural industries in rural development and suggest the measures to improve the rural industries.	K3	CO5
	(OR)			
	13.b.	Identify the role of money lenders in rural indebtedness and put forward the remedial measures for rural indebtedness.	K3	
4	14.a.	Differentiate the Formal and Non-Formal Education with suitable illustrations.	K3	CO2
	(OR)			
	14.b.	Identify the major challenges faced by rural education systems in India in the contemporary era.	K3	
5	15.a.	Analyse the objective of PMKSY and discuss its impact on rural development.	K4	CO3
	(OR)			
	15.b.	Examine the relationship between land reforms and socio economic development in rural society.	K4	

SECTION - C (30 Marks)

Answer ANY THREE questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

(3 × 10 = 30)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	16	Simplify the concept "Unity in Diversity" in the context of Sociological and Cultural perspectives and list out the challenges faced in achieving and maintaining Unity in Diversity.	K4	CO2
2	17	Analyse the features of rural religion and its influence on rural life and discuss how religion shapes social norms, practices, and community life in rural areas.	K4	CO3
3	18	Examine the rural industries and discuss their classification. Explain how different types of rural industries contribute to economic development and social stability in rural areas.	K4	CO4
4	19	Examine specific policies or programs aimed at enhancing access to and quality of education in rural. Evaluate their effectiveness.	K4	CO2
5	20	Analyse the Marxist perspective on land reforms. Describe the key Marxist measure for land reforms and evaluate their impact on rural societies.	K4	CO3

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